

2011-2012

TESTING, MEASUREMENT, AND INDIVIDUAL APPRAISAL PROGRAM

Test	Administered	Grade Level	Purpose
W-APT	Throughout the year upon enrollment	K-12	Screening tool to determine English as a Second Language needs
Phelps Kindergarten Readiness Scale	Spring	Prior to entrance	Assessment of readiness skills; Title I identification
Speech/Language Screening	January/February	2	Assessment of speech and/or language difficulties
DIBELS & Number Knowledge Test	Periodically according to RtII	K-2	Assessment of progress in reading and math concepts
Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)	Fall, Winter, Spring (2 or 3 times)	K-11	Measures progress over time in reading, math, and language arts
SAT-10 and OLSAT-8	As needed	2-7	Gifted screening and other uses as determined by counselor
Classroom Diagnostic Tests	On going	6-12	On-line diagnostic tests in Math, Language Arts, Social Studies and Science
Pennsylvania State Assessment (PSSA) Grade 12 Retest Math, Reading, Science, & Writing	October 24-Nov 4	12	Retest option for non-proficient students (based on Grade 11 PSSA)
Pennsylvania State Assessment (PSSA) Math/Reading Modified Math/Reading Math/Reading Make-ups	March 12-23 March 12-23 March 26-30	3-8, 11 4-8, 11 As needed	Assessment of reading comprehension and math concepts/problem solving
Pennsylvania State Assessment (PSSA) Writing	April 16-20	5, 8, 11	Assessment of writing achievement
Pennsylvania State Assessment (PSSA) Science PSSA – Modified Science	April 23-27 April 23-27	4, 8, 11 8, 11	Assessment of science achievement
PSSA Writing/Science Make-ups	April 30-May 4	As needed	
PASA - Pennsylvania Alternate System of Assessment Math & Reading Science	Feb 13-March 23 May 1-May 25	3-8, 11 4, 8, 11	Measures the attainment of knowledge and skills of students with cognitive disabilities (IDEA '97)
ACCESS for ELLs (WIDA)	TBD	K-12 ESL students	Assessment of English language acquisition
Career Explorer	Spring	6	Self assessment/Career exploration
Career Cruising	Fall	10, 11	Career Exploration
Self-Directed Search	Spring	7	Self assessment/Career exploration
Differential Aptitude Test/Career Interest Inventory (Form T)	Fall	9	Assessment of verbal reasoning, numerical ability, abstract reasoning, clerical speed and accuracy, mechanical reasoning, space relations, spelling, and language usage; Career exploration
AGS Grade + (Group Reading & Diagnostic Evaluation)	Spring	Title I Students	To determine growth in vocabulary, comprehension & listening skills
HEALTH SCREENING: Medical Exam (Private or at school) Dental Exam (Private or at school) Body Mass Index Vision, Height, Weight Hearing Test Scoliosis Screening	During school	K or 1, 6, 11 K or 1, 3, 7 K – 12 K – 12 K – 3, 7, 11 6, 7	